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GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA LAW DEPARTMENT SECRETARIAT :: AGARTALA

NO.F.2(6)-LAW/COM/2020/4308-19

Dated, Agartala, the 17th June, 2020.

NOTIFICATION

WHEREAS, pursuant to an Assembly assurance given by the Hon'ble Chief Minister during the 7th Session of the 12th Tripura Legislative Assembly, the State Government has decided that it is necessary to appoint a Commission of Inquiry for the purpose of making an inquiry into a definite matter of public importance hereinafter specified;

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Commissions of Inquiry Act, 1952 (Act No.60 of 1952), the State Government hereby appoints a Commission of Inquiry consisting of single member namely Shri Goutam Debnath, retired Grade-I officer of the Tripura Judicial Service (former L.R & Secretary, Law), for conducting an inquiry into the matters related to the irregularities and illegalities committed in appointment of 10,323 teachers during the year 2010 and 2013-14 in the State of Tripura and also find out the persons, if any, responsible for such appointment, under the terms of reference laid down below:-

- 2. The terms of reference of the Commission shall be as follows:-
 - (iii) To inquire into all the facts and circumstances relating to appointment of 10,323 teachers of various designation during the year 2010 and 2013-14 in the State of Tripura and also find out the persons, if any, responsible for such appointment,
 - (iv) Whether the appointment was made as per norms of the Government,
 - (v) Any other issues connected therewith or incidental thereto;
- The Commission will complete its inquiry and make report alongwith recommendations. if any, to the State Government within a period of six months from the date of publication of this Notification;
- 4. The Commission shall have all the powers including additional powers, perform all the functions and shall follow such procedures, as provided in the Commissions of Inquiry Act, 1952 and the Commission of Inquiry (Tripura) Rules, 1978;
- 5. The Commission shall sit in private at Birchandra State Central Library, Agartala;
- 6. The other conditions of service of the single member of the Commission shall be as follows-
 - (i) he shall be paid monthly honorarium from the Law Department, from the date of his taking over the charge, according to the Memorandum of the Finance Department vide No.F.8(4)-FIN(G)/88 dated 29th August, 2017,
 - (ii) from the date of his taking over the charge, he shall be provided with a befitting car on hiring, for his official use, from the Law Department, in accordance with the government approved rate and conditions.
- 7. This Notification shall come into force with effect from the date of its publication in the Tripura Gazette.

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L.R. & Secretary, Law, Government of Tripura.